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DESIGN LIKE A DREAMER

Read Joseph's story and learn about his colorful coat! Then, use one of the blank coat templates to design your own special coat with colors, patterns, or symbols that represent you. After designing, think about these questions: What does your coat say about you? What's a special gift or talent you've been given? How can you show forgiveness to others when they hurt you? What is one way you can trust God when something doesn't go the way you planned?

Joseph was a young boy with 11 brothers. He was loved so much by his father, Jacob, that Jacob gave him a special coat—a long robe full of bright and beautiful colors. This coat made Joseph feel loved and unique.

But not everyone was happy about the coat. Joseph's brothers were jealous because they wanted one too! To make things worse, Joseph told his brothers about dreams he had where he became a leader and they bowed to him. This made them even more upset.

One day, they did something unkind: they took Joseph's coat and sold him as a slave. Joseph ended up in Egypt far away from his family. Even though bad things happened, Joseph trusted God. God gave Joseph wisdom and helped him succeed. Over time, Joseph went from being a slave to becoming a powerful leader in Egypt!

Years later, Joseph's brothers came to Egypt needing food during a famine. Instead of being mean to them, Joseph forgave them and helped them. He said, "Don't worry. What you meant for harm, God used for good!" (Genesis 50:20) Joseph's story shows us that even when things are tough, God has a plan for us, and we can trust Him.



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REFLECTION QUESTIONS

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What does your coat say about you?

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Joseph's coat was a gift from his father. What's a special gift or talent you've been given?

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- 3 Joseph forgave his brothers. How can you show forgiveness to others when they hurt you?

- 4 Joseph trusted God even when things went wrong. What is one way you can trust God when something doesn't go the way you planned?